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Sir:

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after three months of the filing of the above-identified application, but before a first action on the merits of the case. Therefore, it is believed that no fee is required.

Applicants respectfully submit herewith prior art as cited on the attached PTO Form-1449 for consideration by the Examiner in the above-identified application. Also enclosed is an International Search Report from the related International application.

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Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP 609 are earnestly solicited along with an early action on the merits.

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